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GAYLORD READY FOR EXHIBITORS

FOURTH ANNUAL POTATO AND APPLE SHOW, NOV. 3, 4, 5

Judging Contests
One of the attractive and instructive features of the Top O' Michigan Potato and Apple Show at Gaylord, November 3rd to 5th, will be the judging contest among the growers of northern Michigan. An adult judging contest has been conducted each year and is very interesting. Any farmer growing potatoes in the district comprising the counties of the Top O' Michigan Potato Association is eligible. They will be required to place ten entries of 32 potatoes each. The prizes range from \$8.00 to \$2.00 for the first four places.

In addition to this judging contest a new special potato contest has been added this year. Contestants will be required to identify potato diseases and insects, from the diseased potato and photos of insects and vines. The prizes in this contest range from \$5.00 to \$2.00 for the first three places. This contest is open to growers only.

The boys and girls clubs will have an apple naming contest this year instead of a potato judging contest. Premiums amounting to \$15.00 will be given the children in the potato show area having the varieties on 20 plates of apples. This will take place the second and third day of the show. There will be no dull moments at the Gaylord Potato and Apple Show. A continuous program of education and amusement has been planned. Meet your neighbors there.

Program
The program being offered this year in connection with the Top O' Michigan Potato and Apple Show is unusually attractive. According to A. C. Lytle, secretary of the Top O' Michigan Association, several out of state men of national reputation are coming to tell what they know about putting quality potatoes and apples on the market.

There will be talks each day of the show beginning on Wednesday afternoon. For the first day the association has secured Mr. R. W. Rees, horticulturist for the New York Central lines; Prof. V. R. Gardner, head of the horticultural department, M. S. C. and Mr. L. K. Wagoner, business manager of the Michigan Farmers.

On Thursday there will be band concerts, and talks by Mr. H. C. Moore of the Michigan State College, Mr. A. G. Tolaas, potato specialist of the University of Minnesota, Mr. F. L. Bloom, distributor for Detroit and Dr. R. J. H. DeLoach of Ar-

mour Fertilizer Works, Chicago.

On Thursday evening the annual banquet will be held. Mr. W. H. Hill, formerly general agricultural agent of the New York Central lines, West, and known to all of northern Michigan, will act as guest of honor. Among the speakers scheduled to talk at the banquet are Mr. Edward Blittzke of Gaylord, Mr. A. C. Carton of the State Department of Agriculture, Mr. John D. Willard, director of Continuing Education of Michigan State College, A. G. Thelen of Minnesota and Mr. Howard Rathor and Mr. J. G. Hayes of Michigan State College.

Friday is boys and girls club day. Messrs. A. G. Kettunen and P. G. Lundon of the State Club Department, East Lansing, will be there to assist Mr. L. V. Benjamin, district club agent at Gaylord.

General discussions, judging contests and looking over exhibits will occupy the mornings.

Farmers are urged to come prepared to ask questions. Write them down on a piece of paper and present them at the meeting. Get all you can out of the show.

The Top O' Michigan Potato Association has left nothing undone to make this program of interest to all who attend.

BE A BOOSTER

Be a Lyceum Booster Saturday by buying your ticket for the local Lyceum course. An effort will be made to dispose of as many tickets as possible. The price is \$1 for adult season tickets, 75 cents for high school students, and 50 cents for children.

Four excellent numbers have been engaged for this season and will be well pleased with the talent that is to be brought here this winter. The ticket booth will be at the post office, though you may purchase tickets from any who have them to sell that day. Help put the Lyceum with a "bang" this year. Be ready to buy your ticket Saturday, October 30th.

LAPEER COUNTY SUPERVISORS APPROPRIATE
Lapeer county which heretofore has not been identified with the work of the East Michigan Tourist Association at the October meeting of its board of supervisors made an initial appropriation of \$200.00 toward the work of the association.

Crawford county increased its appropriation to the work of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau by \$50, and Roscommon county boosted its appropriation \$100.00. Isle county appropriated \$1,000 to the Bureau and Iosco county appropriated \$500.00 to the Bureau and an additional \$500.00 to the tourist association.

All Northeastern Michigan counties appropriated to the work of the Bureau. While official notice has not been received from all counties it is indicated that all counties, with an exception, Isabella, which have been subscribing to the Tourist association have made new appropriations for 1927. Isabella appropriated for the first time in February this year and will be given an opportunity to appropriate again in January.

Dearborn, Mich., Oct. 13, 1926.
O. P. Schumann, Editor
Crawford Avalanche,
Grayling, Michigan.
Dear Mr. Schumann:
I was delighted to learn that Frank Sales is a candidate to succeed himself as county clerk of your county. Certainly there is no one in the community so able to hold the important position, nor one with the qualifications which his experience has given him.

The voters of Crawford county, upon whose shoulders rests the responsibility for the future will be throwing away a great opportunity if they do not elect Frank Sales. In these days it is not often that a party in a community has the good fortune to be in a position to select a county clerk with qualifications and a record as excellent as those Mr. Sales possesses. Though we are far from the scene of action, still we are thankful when we know good men are going into office.

Sincerely yours,
James Clyde Gilbert.
—Political Advertisement.

Indian Summer



GRAYLING GIRL WEDS GRAND RAPIDS MAN

THELEN-CASSIDY NUPTIALS SOLEMNIZED TUESDAY

St. Mary's church was the scene of a beautiful autumn wedding Tuesday morning at nine o'clock, when Miss Alice Bernadette Cassidy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cassidy of this city was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Victor Thelen of Grand Rapids. The church was decorated with tall baskets of orchid and yellow beech chrysanthemums tied with bows of pink tulle, while American Beauty roses and lighted tapers adorned the altar. Rev. Fr. John J. Riess of St. Mary's church, Grand Rapids, an old friend of the Cassidy family, officiated at the nuptial high mass, the church choir rendering the Leonard mass. "O Promise Me" was beautifully sung by Mrs. Francis Tetu during the service and Mrs. Marius Hanson rendered Lorengrin's wedding march when the bridal party entered and left the church Joseph and Lawrence Kessler, cousins of the bride, assisted at the altar.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was charming in a gown of bride's blush georgette, made with a soft sash caught at one side with a large bow, and trimmed with dainty georgette buds centered with rhinestones. Her tulle veil of bride's blush shade, which formed a train, was arranged in cap effect and held in place by real lace which also finished the end of the train. Satin pumps and hose in the same shade as her gown and a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses and lilies-of-the-valley completed her costume.

Miss Margaret Cassidy, sister of the bride was maid of honor. She wore a gown of orchid georgette over peach, trimmed in tiny flowers of orchid velvet applied in silver. A wide sash of heavy silver material was caught at one side with a large orchid bow. She carried an arm bouquet of Ophelia roses and wore a silver wreath set with rhinestones in her hair.

Miss Hazel Cassidy, sister of the bride and Miss Laura Thelen, sister of the groom were bridesmaids. They were dressed in delicate yellow over flesh and pale blue georgette respectively made in hoop fashion over the hips with tiny ruffles and trimmed with gold and silver braid and rhinestones. Their flowers were arm bouquets of beech chrysanthemums to match their gowns, and their costumes were also completed with silver wreaths set with rhinestones and satin pumps and hose to match.

Little Monica Hewitt, a niece of the bride, in a frock of pale yellow georgette, acted as flower girl and carried a china basket filled with beech chrysanthemums, while little Gerald Thelen, a nephew of the groom, carried the ring concealed in a calla lily. He was dressed in white serge.

The bridegroom was attended by his brother, Mr. Otto Thelen, and the ushers were Joseph Cassidy, brother of the bride and Roman Thelen, a brother of the groom.

Following the ceremony a five-course wedding breakfast was served to 38 guests at Shoppenagon Inn. The bridal party and guests were seated around one long table, which was beautiful with smylax, tall pink tapers in crystal holders and baskets of beech chrysanthemums. A beautiful bride's cake centered the table and places were marked with dainty place cards. Only relatives of the young couple were guests at the breakfast, and those from out of the city included Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Thelen and son Gerald, Mr. and Mrs. Roman Thelen, Mr. Otto and Miss Laura Thelen, all of Fowler, Mich., Misses Margaret and Rose Cassidy, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kelly, Rev. Fr. J. J. Riess and Mrs. Tillie Mills, all of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Coty and son Leroy of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Neill and Miss Alice Clune of Cheboygan.

The young couple are enjoying a honeymoon trip in the east visiting Philadelphia and other places, and on their return will be at home to their friends at 2046 South College ave., Grand Rapids, where they have their home all furnished ready to occupy. Mrs. Thelen for the past six years has been employed as disbursing clerk in the offices of the American Express company in Grand Rapids. She was the guest of honor at a large number of pre-nuptial affairs there, where she gained a wide circle of friends.

The young couple are extended congratulations and best wishes of a host of friends for a long and happy wedded life.

SCHOOL NOTES

Editors: Janice Bailey, Edward Mason, Ethel Taylor.

Sarah V.—"The Flapper Wife."
Myrtle V.—"Ukelele Lady."
Shirley M.—"My Best Girl."
Emma H.—"Baby Face."
Florence L.—"If I Had a Girl Like You."

Gertrude L.—"The Girl Friend."
Carrie F.—"Little Peach."
Janice B.—"Her Beaus Are Only Rainbows."

Ella H.—"So That's the Kind of a Girl You Are."

Margaret H.—"Where Did You Get those Eyes?"

Helen S.—"My Cutie's Due at 8:00 Tonight."

Ethel T.—"Oh, You Lulu Belle."

Evelyn H.—"Oh Boy, what a Girl!"

George S.—"Tie Me to Your Apron Strings Again."

Lacey S.—"Jealous."

Norval S.—"But I do—You know I do."

Helen J.—"What Could Be Sweeter Than You?"

Carl L.—"Too Many Parties."

Luella T.—"You Forget to Remember."

Ella H.—"I ain't Nobody's Darling."

Verl S.—"Oh, what a Man."

Madeline W.—"I Can't Get the One I want."

Ada K.—"Because They All Love You."

Violet W.—"Mighty Blue."

Azilda L.—"Sweet Little You."

We wonder if Paul H. croaked when he died his sweater.

If all the learning in Grayling High was piled in a pile,

It might reach the sky,

But we are afraid it would fall way short.

For Grayling's pupils aren't of the learning sort.

Ina—"What did you have for dinner?"

Azilda—"Two guesses."

Ina—"No wonder you were so hungry tonight, then."

Helen—"Jack has a tricky car."

Helen—"It plays dead in the most convenient places."

If an artist were to paint a picture of a person learning to skate we suppose it would require a great many sittings.

Miss Cottle—"Why should Ireland be the richest country in the world?"

Stanley S.—"Because its capital has been Dublin for many years."

Miss Swinton asked her 7th grade English class to write an essay. One of her pupils handed in the following:

Essay on Mothers

Mothers are the ladies you live with if you're not an orphan. They are useful, particularly at night when you are sick. Mothers rock babies and girls every night, but boys have to pretend they do not like it, and only do it when there is nobody round. They make you wash your ears every day, and they can tell you if you did not brush your teeth, even if you wet the tooth-brush.

Ellen G.—"What's the score now?"

Verl—"0 to 0."

Ellen—"Oh, I'm so glad—I didn't miss anything!"

What is it that stands on twenty legs and sings? The Boys' Glee Club.

Lacey's car broke down and he was unable to discover the cause. Carl stopped to help him and told him to use his noodle. Lacey replied, "My car has no noodle."

Customer at Chris' Drug Store—"One box of powder, please."

Ruth C.—"Face, gun or bug?"

Edward, with his many small sisters and brothers entered the photograph gallery.

Edward—"Do you take pictures of children?"

Manager—"Yes."

Edward—"How much are they?"

Manager—"Three dollars a dozen."

Edward—"Well, I shall have to wait and come again; there are only eleven here."

Miss Supernu, who was testing her class on proverbs, "Now, Bruce, you ought to be able to finish this one—it's very easy: 'Cleanliness is next to—what?'"

"Impossible!" exclaimed Bruce, who lives down near the railroad yards.

Use no hurtful deceit; think innocently and justly, and if you speak,

MARSTON'S ILLNESS HOLDS UP MEETING

ANNUAL MEETING POSTPONED

The annual joint meeting of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau and the East Michigan Tourist Association has been postponed by the illness of T. F. Marston, secretary and business executive. Mr. Marston returned to his home from the forestry excursion, promoted by the two organizations, Sept. 9, 10, 11, and immediately went to bed where he has been since. He is showing signs of convalescence, and it is expected that he will have entirely recovered in four or five weeks.

Officers of the two associations felt that the postponement was justified through the inability of Mr. Marston to be present. While the banquet, which is held in connection with the annual meeting, is a big feature, the business sessions are of primary importance and it was thought his presence is desirable.

The meeting of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau is set through the by-laws for the fourth Thursday in October. The executive committee of the Development Bureau adjourned the meeting by vote until such time as Mr. Marston will be able to attend. There is no specific provisional date for the meeting of the East Michigan Tourist Association and President Floyd A. Allen gave notice of a postponement.

The annual joint meeting of the two organizations will be held soon, probably within a period of four or five weeks. Members of the two organizations will receive ample notice of the program for the business meetings and banquet in ample time to arrange to be present.

Speak accordingly.—B. Franklin.

Earle—"How does Paul keep that straw hat on his head in a wind like this?"

Isbrand—"Vacuum pressure!"

Barber to Clayton W.—"Shall I cut your hair close?"

Clayton—"No, stand off as far as possible."

PYROTOL EXPLOSIVE IN GREAT DEMAND THIS YEAR

The demand for pyrotol, the war surplus explosive which is being distributed by Michigan State College, has been better this year than ever before, according to N. A. Kessler, specialist in agricultural engineering, Michigan State College. More of the explosive is being used by farmers in Northeastern Michigan than in any similar section of the state.

Carload orders have been coming in all summer to Mr. Kessler, who has an office with the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau at Bay City, and it is expected that the movement will increase as the fall blasting season commences.

Arrangements have been made by Mr. Kessler, whereby farmers in Northeastern Michigan can obtain pyrotol with less difficulty. Orders can always be placed with county agents in the different counties, but Mr. Kessler has augmented the service through arrangements with some individuals in the different communities. The arrangements will be further facilitated from time to time, Mr. Kessler says.

The following have recently agreed to accept orders in their respective communities: R. H. Brubaker, Gladwin; John Lewandowski, Rhodes; R. H. Bentley, Whittemore; C. G. King, Cumby; Mr. Anderson, Lincoln Bank, Lincoln; Mr. Mutch, Sterling Bank, Sterling; Mr. Glosier, Twining Bank, Twining.

The price of pyrotol is the same as last year—\$9.50 per hundred in car lots. No more free caps are being distributed, but the price of the explosive is extremely low compared to the commercial dynamite and the cost of stump and stone removal will be low when pyrotol is used.

SOME POTATOES

County Agricultural Agent R. D. Bailey, with his wife, drove to Gaylord last Friday and visited with their son, Harold, and his family. Bailey has achieved quite a notable success this season in his farming operations. Besides the raising of a fair crop of oats, rye, hay, and a goodly supply of vegetables, he also harvested upwards of 2,000 bushels of most excellent potatoes from a field of eight acres. This week he is disposing of about half his tuber crop to local buyers at a little better than a dollar a bushel, the balance he will hold over until next spring, believing he will be justified in so doing by an increase in price at that time. Harold is planning on planting ten acres to the tubers next spring on specially prepared ground, and hopes to reap a crop of 3,000 bushels from the field.

BAY VISITORS VISIT NEW LOG CABIN

New bay supervisors visited the new log cabin offices of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau and the East Michigan Tourist Association in a body, Wednesday, October 20. They manifested pleasure over the design, lay-out and conveniences of the building. Herman Lundon, of Gaylord, and Lewiston, president of the Bureau was on hand to receive them and officiate as host. He made a short talk to the supervisors, thanking them for their interest and according the utilitarian and advertising aspects of the building. Bay county supervisors last year appropriated \$1,000 toward the cost of constructing the building.

Real Orangeade and Lemonade is just as good in cold weather. Try one! Central Drug Store.

Principal Events In Grayling 25 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 25 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, October 24, 1901

Dr. Insley reports four cases of smallpox at Robinson's mill about six miles northeast of town.

Dr. Woodworth went to Chicago this morning for a visit with his son.

Mrs. Abbie Comer and daughter left yesterday for Detroit, where she will keep house for her brother.

Miss Jennie, daughter of Dr. Woodworth, started for Chicago Tuesday, enroute to San Francisco, Calif.

N. Carrow and family have moved to Bay City, it being more convenient for his railroad work.

Mr. Burgess, of the Dowell pin factory, went home last week for a short visit with his family.

Ernie Babbitt intends to leave his farm this winter, and will occupy a portion of his grandmother's residence.

W. Fairbotham has a number of fine stands of bees that are doing good work. We will have plenty of money next year.

Misses Alice Willis and Hattie Blanshan are among our young people returned after a prolonged visit in Bay City and Lansing.

Mrs. J. J. Willett of Frederic, who has been sick since Sept. 9th, has so far recovered that she sat up for a few minutes last Sunday.

The cells are being placed in the new jail this week. They look cool, but will not protect the inmates against mosquitoes.

Married—At the M. E. parsonage by Rev. H. Goldie, Miss Maude Robinson and Joseph Malenfant, October 21st. The happy pair have gone to Buffalo to see the sights.

Married—On the 13th inst., at the American House in Frederic, by Rev. J. J. Willett, Mr. George Hunter of Frederic and Miss Lulu Butcher of West Bay City.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Peter E. Johnson of this township, a daughter last Friday.

Born—On Sunday, the 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Flagg, a daughter.

John Everett purchased the small house on Cedar street of S. Hempstead, which was the last one of many pieces of property owned by him in this place.

C. C. Ginebaugh has returned from his visit south, bringing with him a bride. Having no data we cannot give further particulars, but wish him joy all the same.

Postmaster Bates' little girls invited in a score of their girl friends Tuesday evening, and then sent for Misses Jeanette Evans and Norma Comer, who are going away. It was a lively and very happy good-bye reception.

J. C. Failing of Beaver Creek township brought to this office nineteen potatoes, taken from one hill, which weighed over nine pounds. They were of the Adirondack variety, very fine and should be in great demand for seed.

Clayton Straley went on a duck hunting expedition last Friday, but game was shy and scarce. He bagged 11, which was odd but not an unlucky number for us, as we had the pleasure of assisting in the disposition of two of them. They filled "a long felt want." Thanks.

The Masonic fraternity and O. E. S. gave a party reception last Friday, but we have to report that our under-sheriff, T. A. Carney, has bought a steam laundry at Holly, and will remove his family to that city. Mr. Carney has been a hustler ever since he has lived in Grayling, and with his family will leave a host of friends here. We regret his going, but wish him every success in his new business.

Thursday, Oct. 31, 1901

W. Havens has brightened his home with new paint.

Dr. Woodworth returned from his Chicago visit Tuesday.

Oscar Hanson was visiting with Lewiston friends last week.

Joseph Patterson attended the Circuit Court at Atlanta last week.

Miss Flossie Countryman was visiting with Lewiston friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Malenfant returned from Buffalo by Sunday morning train.

Mrs. Harry Pond returned from a three weeks visit with her mother last Tuesday.

Albert Schriver and wife spent last Sunday at the home of J. K. Bates in Maple Forest.

Mrs. Eickhoff accompanied Mrs. President Pond on her visit to the Gaylord W. R. C. last week.

Mrs. M. A. Bates returned from her eastern visit Saturday, and the P. M. smiles again.

John Everett has made extensive improvements on his residence, and is finishing it all with a neat coat of paint.

Henry Bates of Maple Forest was in town Tuesday feeling good over a thousand bushels of as fine corn as any man wants.

Miss Nellie Hoyt, who is teaching in the Cobb district in Maple Forest, spent Sunday with Henry Stephan's family.

George Hartman, P. M. at Jack Pine, has been taking a rest, acting as juror in the Federal Court at Bay City.

The boy of school age should be sent to school; don't let him loaf. There is no niche on earth and no

place in heaven for a loafer.

The season will soon be here when the fellow who couldn't hit a deer in thirty times trying, will go out and shoot a man through the first pop.

Archie McKay of West Branch stopped with friends here over night a few days ago. He was looking for an extra crew to run their mill nights.

Mrs. C. V. R. Pond returned from the inspection of the Corps at Gaylord last week, and was taken ill, so that she remained with friends here till Saturday morning.

Rev. and Mrs. Willett of Midland were presented with a silver tea set a short time ago, on the 25th anniversary of their marriage, by the members of his congregation.

E. T. Waldron and family have moved to their new home in Arenac county. Their address will be at Maple Ridge. They are pioneers here, and will be missed from the county.

A late issue of the Detroit Tribune contained a fair cut of N. Nicholson as one of the lumber barons of the state. He is progressive and successful enough to deserve mention.

We learn from the Saginaw News that Miss Clara Willett is quite sick at Alpena from an attack of typhoid fever. Her mother is taking care of her. Miss Stella is teaching school in Gladwin.

A man asked for stamps at the postoffice the other day. An the postmaster asking: "What denomination please?" The man stammered a bit and said, his wife belonged to the Presbyterian church.—Ex.

Our team went to West Branch Saturday to play football and got beaten, but they had a grand time, and it is acknowledged that they put up the best game played this year north of Bay City.

The forestry commission figures that trees planted now in Roscommon county will be large enough for lumber manufacture in 100 years. This will be of little interest to the present generation, but of vast importance to the people of a century hence.

Mrs. J. C. Hanson received a letter from Mrs. N. P. Salting, in which she stated that Mr. Salting was able to leave the house for office, altho very weak. They expected to move into their new home the last of the week. The Anderson Bulletin says the contract price for his home was \$4,000.

W. B. Covert returned from his visit to the Pan-American and his boyhood home, where his parents and sisters yet reside, on Monday. He gained twenty-five pounds while absent, and claims it all from eating fruit on his father's fruit farm near Watkins Glen, N. Y.

Charles came home with him to look over this western world.

The Supreme Court of Michigan has just decided that county treasurers are not entitled to interest on funds of the county placed on deposit. The court says the interest earnings of money belonging to the county on deposit shall be accounted for to the same as the principal. The case on trial was the proceedings against the county treasurer of Kent county, who placed \$20,393 in a Grand Rapids bank, and received \$55.33 interest on the same, not accounting for it or paying it over to his successor.

Rev. Bekker and wife and daughter returned from Chicago Tuesday, combining business with pleasure.

An exchange says the biggest trust on earth has been discovered at last. It is the country newspaper trust. They trust everybody, and get cussed for trusting and trusting for cussing, and finally get busted by trusting.

Dancing makes girls feet large, ice cream produces freckles, hanging on the front fence produces rheumatism, piano playing destroys the beauty of the hands, chewing gum destroys the mouth, washing dishes causes chaps to come—to propose.

A lawyer in a court room may call a man a liar, a scoundrel, villain or thief, and no one will make a complaint when court adjourns. If a newspaper prints such reflections on a man's character there is a libel suit a dead editor. This is owing to the fact that the people believe what an editor says. What a lawyer says cuts no figure.—Ex.

The melancholy days have come, the meanest of the year, when farmers vow their cornfields will fall them in the ear; when school deprives the restless boy of vacation fun, and his daddy grows at the bills and the coal eight plunks a ton; when the merchant gets his biggest stock and thinks he is wondrous wise, because he hopes to sell the same and never advertise; when the wind begins its dreary moan and the leaves begin to fall, when the boys start out for college to study up football; when the banker gets his interest, and the barder gets poor hash, the subscriber has plenty of time to read, but the printer gets no cash.

EYES TOO TIRED?

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O. P. SCHUMANN, Editor.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1926.

WHO WILL BE ELECTED?

Who will be elected? That question is quite frequently heard everywhere in the last few days which indicate good interest in the election.

Just who will be elected may only be guessed at. Opinions based on sound judgment seem to indicate an overwhelming Republican victory. Green's victory is forecast by state leaders. The Democrats seem to have failed to cause a split in the Republican ranks, and it is believed that Comstock's showing will be but little better than that of Mr. Frensdorff in 1924. Groesbeck followers will line up solidly behind Green.

The State Republican ticket, judging by past history and by the general sentiments expressed throughout the state, will sweep the state.

County contests are confined to the offices of sheriff and clerk, only. J. E. Bobenmoyer is serving his first term as sheriff. He is the Republican candidate. Peter F. Jorgenson is the Democratic candidate. He served one term as sheriff and was defeated two years ago by Mr. Bobenmoyer. Each had a term in the sheriff's office and their records are quite well known to the voters. We decline to make a prophecy publicly on the outcome, although it would seem easy to pick the winner.

For county clerk, Charles Gierke, Republican, is opposing Frank Sales, Democrat. Both are clean, capable fellows. Mr. Gierke maintains that it would be only fair that the office be passed along. Mr. Sales has held the office ten years and, since he was elected the first time on the strength that his predecessor had held the office three terms and long enough, Mr. Gierke maintains that rule should be a good one to apply at this time. Mr. Sales is the Democrat candidate. He will have to have the backing of the Republicans as well as his own party in order to win.

William Ferguson for treasurer and Merle F. Nellist for prosecuting attorney and circuit court commissioner, both Republicans are unopposed, as is also Andrew Hart, Democrat, for register of deeds.

AMENDMENTS TO COME UP AT NOVEMBER ELECTION

There will be submitted to the electors, at the General November election to be held on Tuesday, November 2, 1926, the following proposed amendments to the Constitution of this State. There will also be submitted the question of a general revision of the Constitution, as required by Section 4 of Article XVII of the Constitution, and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14.

Article V.

Sec. 9. The compensation of the members of the legislature shall be twelve hundred dollars for the regular session. When convened in extra session their compensation shall be ten dollars per day for the first twenty days and nothing thereafter. Members shall be entitled to ten cents per mile and no more for one round trip to each regular and special session of the legislature by the usually traveled route. Each member shall be entitled to one copy of the laws, journals and documents of the legislature of which he is a member, but shall not receive, at the expense of the state, books or newspapers not expressly authorized by this constitution.

Provides for increasing compensation of members of the legislature from \$800 to \$1,200 for regular sessions, and from \$5 per diem to \$10 per diem for extra sessions.

Article VIII.

Sec. 5. The sheriff shall hold no other office. He shall be elected at the general election for the term of two years. He may be required by law to renew his security from time to time and in default of giving such security, his office shall be deemed vacant. The county shall never be responsible for his acts.

Provides for removing restriction which renders sheriff incapable of holding the office longer than four in any period of six years.

Sec. 31. The legislature shall by general law provide for the incorporation by any two or more cities, villages or townships, or any combina-

tion or parts of same, of metropolitan districts comprising territory within their limits, for the purpose of acquiring, owning and operating either within or without their limits as may be prescribed by law, parks or public utilities for supplying, sewage disposal, drainage, water, light, power or transportation, or any combination thereof, and any such district may sell or purchase, either within or without its limits as may be prescribed by law, sewage disposal or drainage rights, water, light, power or transportation facilities. Any such districts shall have power to acquire and succeed to any or all of the rights, obligations and property of such cities, villages and townships respecting or connected with such functions or public utilities: Provided, That no city, village or township shall surrender any such rights, obligations or property without the approval thereof by a majority vote of the electors thereof voting on such question. Such general law shall limit the rate of taxation of such districts for their municipal purposes and restrict their powers of borrowing money and contracting debts. Under such general law, the electors of each district shall have power and authority to frame, adopt and amend its charter upon the approval thereof by a majority vote of the electors of each city, village and township, voting on such question, and, through its regularly constituted authority, to pass all laws and ordinances relating to its municipal concerns, subject to the constitution and general laws of this state.—(New section.)

Article XIII.

Sec. 5. Subject to this constitution the legislature may authorize municipalities, subject to reasonable limitations, to condemn and to take the fee to more land and property than is needed in the acquiring, opening and widening of boulevards, streets and alleys, or for any public use, and after so much of the land and property has been appropriated for any such needed public purpose, the remainder may be sold or leased with or without such restrictions as may be appropriate to the improvement made. Bonds may be issued to supply the funds to pay in whole or in part for the excess property so appropriated, but such bonds shall be a lien only on the property so acquired and they shall not be included in any limitation of the bonded indebtedness of such municipality.—(New section.)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14
Resolved by the senate, the house concurring, That the secretary of state shall certify to the clerk of each county in the state the question of a general revision of the constitution and a convention therefor, to be submitted to the electors qualified to vote thereon, at the general election to be held in the year 1926.

Scientists say that rubber can be made from the Guayule plant. And we have eaten some chicken hash that seemed to be full of it, too.

When asked what she thinks of the flapper, Lady Astor replied: "I don't quite know what the flapper is." Neither do the rest of us, lady.

According to the experts the cost of living has been reduced 3.4 per cent since November, 1925, which gives us just that much more to spend for gasoline.

Half of the world doesn't know how the other half buys its gasoline.—Indianapolis News.

The National Industries Conference Board states that it has discovered a drop in rents during the past two years. This ought to go down in history as one of the world's greatest discoveries.

Most of the fellows who do the kicking about prohibition have never tried it.

NOT "OLD STYLE"



"She works for a printing firm, you say?"
"Yes."
"What type girl is she?"

Michigan Happenings

The new defunct Fallon Coal Company, of Fallon, Ill., in which hundreds of Michigan people lost their investments, paid \$125,000 cash to brokers who sold \$500,000 worth of stock for them two years ago, according to a Detroit broker, who also testified that 20,000 shares of the stock was given to brokers as a bonus, to spur their efforts toward selling the issue. The stockholders claim that money raised in the sale of stock and the floating of the bonds was not used to improve the mine, but that the directors conspired to and did defraud the stockholders.

The Shiawassee county board of supervisors has adopted a resolution rescinding one passed a year ago, whereby the county assumed a debt of \$60,000 outstanding against Memorial hospital at Owosso, which was built as a memorial to the county's war dead. The original ordinance provided for the levying of a mill tax over a period of five years, to raise the \$60,000. At present a nurses' home to cost \$75,000 is being erected, financed by contributions, some of which are contingent on the hospital being out of debt when the building is started.

School census figures made public in the eighty-third annual report of the board of education give an indication of the growth of Detroit in the past year. The figures reveal that Detroit's school population increased 8.4 per cent in 1926 over 1925. The school report notes the interesting fact that there are 42 nationalities represented in Detroit's metropolitan population and that there are 311 buildings operated by the board of education representing an investment of \$75,810,472.00.

The Peninsular Stove Co. has acquired 18 1/2 acres at the northeast corner of Burt Road and the Pere Marquette Railroad, Brightmoor, on which it will erect the most modern and completely equipped stove works in the world, according to an announcement by the secretary of the company. On the new site will be erected two buildings of brick, steel and fenestra sash. The floor area of the two buildings will be 750,000 square feet. Construction will be started at once.

The steamer Lake Gaither, which left Detroit for South America with a million-dollar cargo of automobiles, will be the first vessel this season to take a direct water route from this port to South America. The steamer was loaded with 539 boxed automobiles. It will require 33 days to make the trip of 7,000 miles. The Lake Gaither will return with coffee and other South American products.

Contracts amounting to \$2,500,000 for new roads and bridges has been approved by the state administrative board. The contracts already had been let informally. An additional 80 miles of road was included in the state trunk system. The snow removal program was extended to 1,600 more miles of state highways, so 5,650 miles of road will be kept open.

Funeral services were held at Pontiac recently for Mrs. Swan Tyack, who only a few weeks ago passed her one hundredth birthday anniversary. Burial was in the Rochester cemetery beside her husband Thomas Tyack, who died two years ago at the age of 101 years.

A Michigan flier, Lieut. George T. Cuddihy, of Grand Rapids, will be one of the Navy team of three members which will defend the Schneider cup in the international seaplane races to be held November 11 at Hampton Roads, Va.

Detroit is the richest city in the United States, with a total income tax of \$207,131,389, a per capita of \$208.59. This per capita figure is compared with \$66.59 in New York, \$73.41 in Chicago and \$90.34 in Philadelphia.

The property of the Grand Rapids, Holland & Chicago Railway Co. was sold at a U. S. District Court foreclosure sale to the Hyman-Michael Co., a Chicago wrecking concern, for \$227,000.

A road development program that will involve the expenditure of \$241,444.90 during 1927, in Washtenaw county, was adopted by the board of supervisors at a recent meeting.

Charles McGregor, 45 years old, of Manistique, and the father of 15 children, was shot and killed by a neighbor, Bud Vanetta, when they were hunting.

Fire destroyed eight tractors, several new cars and the Phillips & Jerome garage at Rochester. An explosion caused by a faulty blow torch started the fire. Damage is estimated at \$65,000. Failure of the village fire alarm system to function gave the blaze a great headway.

Willis Reger, 10 years old, of Clare, is dead, as the result of wounds received when he was accidentally shot by his father on a rabbit-hunting trip.

Capturing timber wolves rodeo fashion is the boast of Edward Gilstrom, Ontonagon County state trooper, whose feats are attested by the occasional display of a wolf captured alive. The spectacle of a 60-pound wolf reposing in the arms of its captor was paraded to the gaze of Houghton people recently by Gilstrom, who stroked the head of the animal as if it were a kitten. The docility, however, was due to the fact that Gilstrom had his mouth and feet securely bound with haywire.

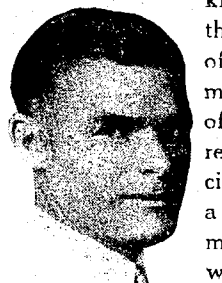


Michigan Laws provide that every second year a new list of officers shall be selected to serve the people in their respective counties for a period of two years, the election day for this purpose is held on Tuesday, Nov. 2.

The Republican Party have this year named as their candidates, men of excellent qualifications for the several offices.



J. E. Bobenmoyer, the present Sheriff, asks the people to continue him in the office of Sheriff, and stands squarely on his record as an officer. Mr. Bobenmoyer has administered his duties without fear or favor, and deserves the support of every one who desires the laws of our state enforced.



Charles Gierke, whom every one knows as Charley, is the candidate of the Republican Party for the office of County Clerk. Charley is a young man, whom we may call a product of our own county, his twenty years residence makes him really an old citizen. Charley has never asked for a county office before and does not make any claims to being familiar with the political game, but those who know him best, know that Charley is honest and conscientious, modest and careful of the rights of others, well qualified for the position he seeks, and faithful to every duty. Voters will make no mistake in voting for Charles Gierke for County Clerk.

Merle Nellist, for Prosecuting Attorney, has demonstrated his fitness for this office, having served in that capacity in the past and with entire satisfaction to the citizens of this county.

William Ferguson, for County Treasurer. Mr. Ferguson has made an enviable record in that office since his appointment. He is capable, honest and efficient in the discharge of the duties of Treasurer; his fitness is unquestioned. The voters of Crawford county are to be congratulated on being able to retain William Ferguson as County Treasurer.

By electing these men to the office to which they have been nominated will insure to the people of our county, careful and efficient administration of all duties entrusted to them.

Respectfully,
Republican County Committee.

Construction of a four-mile belt line from the D. G. H. & M. line west of Pontiac to the intersection of Columbia road and the P. O. & N. tracks north of the city was announced by the Grand Trunk railway. Besides the new line, another yard will be built to accommodate 650 cars. With the cost of the yards and construction of the new belt line an expenditure of more than \$2,000,000 will have been made in Pontiac by the railways. Construction work will be started about January 1.

The 11-year-old daughter of a farmer near Olivet was burned seriously about the face, neck and arms from flames of gasoline, the result of a 15-year-old brother using the inflammable fluid to revive a smoldering fire in the kitchen range. At the resulting explosion the boy flung the gasoline can out the kitchen door. The girl to escape the fire inside the room rushed out through the door where she stumbled and fell in the flaming pool. An elder brother smothered the flames with a blanket.

Motorists paid \$84,939,373 in gas line taxes during the first six months of 1926, the United States Bureau of Public Roads has announced. A total

of 3,560,987,686 gallons of gasoline was taxed and it was estimated at addition \$56,450,000 gallons were consumed in states without a gas tax. California led with a gas tax of \$7.418,424. Florida was second with \$6.197,421. Ohio third with \$5,968,232. Pennsylvania fourth with \$1,252,410. Indiana fifth with \$4,022,282, and Michigan sixth with \$2,373,598.

Purchase has been made by the Detroit Young Men's Christian association of the northeast corner of Garland and Jefferson avenues for the purpose of erecting one of six half million dollar "Y" buildings that are to be located in various sections of the city. Two other sites already have been purchased, one on the west side of Clark park, and one at the corner of Woodward and Winona avenues.

Debate Coach Carrol P. Lahman, of Western State Normal school, of Kansas, has chosen the squad from which will be picked the team to meet the Sydney, Australia, team in the international debate there November 18. The Australian team meet only two other schools in Michigan, Albion college and the University of Michigan.

RIGID U. S. POLICY ON TARIFF PROGRAM

Administration Says American Trade Levies Will Not Be Lowered.

Washington.—Standing squarely back of the doctrine of protection for the United States, the administration in a public statement soon will define its attitude toward the bankers' manifesto against world trade barriers. This statement will be issued by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, and will take the position that this government views the manifesto as applying to Europe and not to this country. President Coolidge and Secretary Mellon conferred recently over the matter. Both are in accord on the idea that the American tariff is not to be lowered. Secretary Mellon told the President he regarded the mani-



Secretary of the Treasury Mellon.

festos sound so far as it applies to trade barriers and restrictions of Europe.

Moreover, Secretary Mellon flatly and with considerable feeling denied reports, which he said emanated from Berlin, that he had been consulted about it abroad, and implying that he was in sympathy with it.

While the administration was taking steps to make it entirely plain where it stands, Julius H. Barnes, American vice president of the chamber of commerce, and chairman of the committee on trade barriers of the American section of the International Chamber, gave out a statement explaining that the manifesto was not aimed at the American tariff.

It was disclosed that the American section, through a report of the committee on trade barriers, had formulated a report saying American business and labor had reached the studied decision that American living standards must be protected and any action to lower them would have an "unfortunate effect."

But although the government will take the position the manifesto applies to Europe and not the United States, the fact remains that a large section of congress favorable to protection is convinced the manifesto and the La-mont declaration for debt cancellation are linked up, and that the international bankers are seeking to force a lowering of American tariff rates. Unquestionably, the manifesto will come under hot fire when congress meets regardless of protestations that it was not intended to affect the American tariff.

In his conference with President Coolidge, Secretary Mellon told the President he had not seen the manifesto before publication and that he had not been consulted about it by any of the slummers, European or American. He felt certain, however, it was intended to apply to Europe.

French Riviera Scene of Record Land Boom

Nice.—Frenzied speculation, never surpassed even in the hectic days of the Florida land boom, has struck the French Riviera. Hundreds of thousands of dollars are being lost and made in a wild scramble for land from Toulon to Mentone.

The English are in the majority among speculators, but Frenchmen, Germans, Americans and Spaniards are taking advantage of the unprecedented rise in land values.

Every kilometer on the Corniche road between Cannes and Monte Carlo is littered with huge posters advertising lots for sale.

At Venice, Genoa and Saint Raphael, the same speculation is in progress.

Quakes Rock San Francisco

San Francisco, Calif.—San Francisco residents were awakened by earthquake shocks that startled the guests of the downtown hotels. Not a building in the city, even of the oldest and flimsiest construction, was damaged except for a few broken windows and cracked plaster.

Chicago's \$22,000,000 Drive

Chicago.—Wacker drive, the city's new \$22,000,000 thoroughfare, said by Chicago plan experts to be the first link in a system of boulevards flanking the river for miles, is now open to the public.

Ship Board Wants \$18,900,000

Washington.—The shipping board and fleet corporation will ask the director of the budget for \$18,900,000 to maintain the government fleet for the next fiscal year.

More than 2,000 young small-mouth bass were taken from the Bason County nursery and planted in lakes. The Ludington Walton chapter planted 20,000 bass in the nursery last June and they have grown considerably since, but officials expressed the belief that many of the bass had been killed by the adult fish.

Figured from the standpoint of a corporation, Detroit has a capitalization of \$3,000,000,000, which is the amount of its assessed valuation.



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Detroit has become one of the great money centers of the world, judging by the report of bank deposits as of June 30 last. The figures reveal that the total bank deposits of the city at that date amounted to \$800,974,702.06. Of this amount \$585,372,530.05 was in state banks, and \$215,602,171.58 in national banks.

With the new contracts just let the Michigan Highway system now represents an expenditure of \$200,000,000. Michigan has 7,000 miles of state trunk line, 30,290 miles of county roads and 57,290 miles of township roads of which 21,000 miles are improved roads, 2,200 miles being paved and 16,000 miles of gravel road.

OPPORTUNITY COLUMN

LOST—1 BLACK LEATHER Gaiter for left hand. Finder please leave at Ralph Hanna's or call phone No. 471.

WANTED—GIRLS' AND SMALL Children's coats and stockings. Also other articles from the homes. At the Salvage Shop. Open every day.

FAMILY WASHINGS WANTED.—And also work by the hour. One block east of hospital on Chestnut St. Mrs. Wm. Bradow. tf.

FOR RENT—GOOD HOUSE. Inquire at Avalanche office.

FOUND—MONDAY AFTERNOON, Oct. 18 near high school building, a child's wool neck scarf, color blue and black. Owner may call at Avalanche office for same.

FOR SALE CHEAP—GOOD WORK team, ages 11 and 13, weight about 2300. Inquire of John Knecht, Sigbee. 10-21-1

FOR SALE CHEAP—GOOD PIANO. Inquire of J. W. Smith, Maple Forest. 9-21-5

FOUND—GERMAN POLICE DOG, Oct. 19, near Kyle Lake. Owner may call for same at Len Isenhauer's. Phone 272.

PIANO FOR RENT—EASY TERMS. Inquire Mrs. A. M. Lewis, Lake Margrethe, phone 1 long, 3 short, line 75.

FOR SALE—8-ROOM HOUSE IN one of best locations in the city. In excellent condition, electric lights, porch, front and back, full concrete basement. Inquire of O. P. Schumann.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.—Furnished and modern. Mrs. Geo. Miller, phone 832.

WASHINGS WANTED.—Either family or piece washings neatly done. Mrs. Kobarge, Park street.

FOR SALE—BABY BED and mattress. Just like new. Phone 564. Mrs. Ben Landsberg.

FOR RENT—8-ROOM HOUSE with garage, in good location, handy to lumber mills. Inquire at Avalanche office.

WANTED—Vacancy now offered in Crawford county to handle Ward's Reliable Household, Hen house and Stable Remedies, Kitchen Flavors, Toilet Accessories, etc. Steady hustler desired. Previous experience not necessary. Particulars on request. Dr. Ward's Medical Co., Winona, Minn. Established 1856. 10-7-4

Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. Bailey, Co. Agricultural Agent



"What do I consider the nearest approximation to happiness of which the present human nature is capable? Why, living on a farm which is one's own, far from the hectic, artificial conditions of the city—a farm where one gets directly from one's own soil what one needs to sustain life, with a garden in front and a healthy normal family to contribute those small domestic joys which relieve a man from business strain."—Thomas Edison.

Good Things Seen Throughout The County

Alfred Nephew is building an ornamental two-story log cabin in club house style, as a residence on his farm near Lovells. The logs will be peeled. There will be a full basement with cement walls and furnace, with Delco water and light system.

The cabin, modeled after the Loud's cabin, will be built by Mr. Nephew, Francis Nephew and Mr. Nephew's step-father.

It is now a pleasure to drive from Lovells to Frederic over the good gravel road through the heart of the Maple Forest settlement.

Arthur Fox, Wm. Woodburn and Wm. Hunter recently had the milk from their cows tested by the county agent.

Arthur Howse and Wm. Smith are on the waiting list for testing.

Arthur Howse has several acres of ripe yellow dent corn. Neighbors ought to get a supply of seed there at once. Arthur says that he has greatly increased the yield of potatoes by hill selection of seed at digging time. Gilbert Vallad has set new posts and fenced the front of his Maple Forest farm with heavy woven wire. He is making a wonderful improvement in the farm house.

Delaware Brothers, north of the Wm. Feldhauser farm, rejoice in a nice, new house.

Rufus Edmonds' brother has substantially fenced the farm across the road from Rufus', has torn down the old schoolhouse, and has built a small house.

Alfred Hummel and son Stanley continue to clean up the old farm and to render its fields more fertile.

Many will remember what a hopelessly looking old place it was when Mr. Hummel took it only four years ago. He and his son Stanley went to work and put some head work in with their hand work. Starting without reserve capital, they have lived well, have made a great change in the appearance of the fields, always have a year's dry wood ahead, have built the cement foundation for a future barn, have built a large garage with full-sized cellar beneath. This year they "capped the climax" by re-building the house.

It seems to us that what the Hummels have done knocks the wind out of the talk indulged in by some that "you can't farm here." This is a good place to farm for those who will put some intelligent management into their farming.

John N. Anderson has built a neat little house on the corner of the farm that he sold to his son Fred this spring.

Fred Anderson continues the farm in the thorough manner for which his father was known, far and near.

Richard Babbitt, on Westgate farm is steadily making fine progress in cleaning up and fertilizing that farm. Neatness and attention to details are evident and prove their worth, as on the Anderson and Hummel farms.

Charles Owen and father-in-law, John Westcott, on the fine Archie Howse farm, are new-comers among us. They purchased farm, crop, stock and tools.

A fine gravel road has been completed from Sherman's corners to the south side of the Wm. Feldhauser (Elmview) and Charles Owen farms.

We would like to see a good farmer on the now vacant and splendid Wm. Feldhauser farm.

The splendid, clean Red Rock wheat and Rosen rye, both raised from choice certified seed on the C. C. Fink farm, should have been eagerly snapped up for seed, by neighbors and farmers all over the county. It is not the first thing in which we have been slow to see opportunity. A similar case exists in the county agent not being able to find a farmer to take the free use of a splendid registered Holstein bull that he is seeking a place for. The farmer who takes him keeps all the service fees, too.

Twenty acres of thrifty sweet clover on the C. C. Fink farm. You can see to an inch where lime was applied and where not.

Twenty acres of sweet clover on the MacMillan (Sherman) farm.

Eli Forbush has his farm picked up until things look "neat as wax."

Three lots of alfalfa on the Theodore Christopherson farm are looking good.

Theodore Leslie has probably the neatest farm in the county. One looks in vain for any rubbish or tools standing out, or disorder.

Tony Nelson's (Edgewood) farm has ten acres of new alfalfa, looking fine. Notice six acres of it as you drive along the east side of the farm. There is probably the only double well on any farm in the county; when the plunger is coming up in one it is going down in the other. Buildings are being re-painted. You kickers on silos ought to talk with Tony awhile.

He has two large ones full. Tony is a liberal buyer of lime and fertilizer.

The George Annis farm is a fine example of a farm being used many years and the soil actually improving. There is not a better illustration in the county that land can be used a long time and yet be kept fertile. The fields are "just a tarin" and ready to produce, while many in the same township have "gone haywire."

George believes in a short rotation and in feeding the soil. On October 4, you should have seen the 10 or 12 acres of second-growth sweet clover, 2 to 2½ feet high, to be plowed under. Yes sir, plowed under. That's what puts the pep into land—plowing under a snarl of legume green manure. This is the best example of sweet clover to plow under we have met in the county, though we have "holled" a lot to get folks to do it. The farm also carries a big field of alfalfa and a silo.

FARM BUREAU 2:

Enus Anderson has cleared a large piece, and has set many new fruit trees.

The Andrew Mortenson farm (Beechwood) is a good example of several things: (1) That farm buildings can be kept painted. (2) That a family can live well from proceeds of a farm. (3) That fields can be kept fertile a long time. (4) Of how many acres of crops one man can raise.

Hjalmar has an awful acreage of crops. Two pieces of alfalfa, sowed with lime this spring, are looking fine.

R. A. Stevens, the new owner of "Birchwood," formerly the Crane farm at Eldorado, has just bought a registered pure bred Guernsey bull and two registered pure bred cows, as the foundation of the future herd.

We expect to see good things of the "Birchwood Herd" in the years to come.

Frank Love and Willie Love unload a 48-ton car of lime this week, each taking half.

The Frank Love farm is a splendid example of how clean and free from rubbish, discarded tools, disorder, etc., and home-like a farm can be kept. No tools ever standing out in the weather here to rot.

Pleasant Valley farm (Willie Love) uses a milking machine regularly. The main barn has been shingled, the cow barn remodeled, and a litter carrier, swung from an over-head track, used daily. Willie is a heavy feeder of grain to his dairy cows and finds that it pays.

Martin Jagosh built a neat, painted addition to the house. We have spoken before of the good new barn. Martin is a good feeder of the soil. Both he and his neighbor, Herman Miller, bought a lot of lime for the soil this spring.

George Wolf has used a lot of lime. Artie Skingley spread a lot of lime this spring and more this fall, on corn ground, for alfalfa next spring.

Charlie Corwin thoughtfully sowed turnip seed with his alfalfa seed, and will harvest hundreds of bushels of good roots. He prudently turns his large herd into a field, nights, to fertilize it. Those who do not, waste \$50 to \$100 worth of fertility a summer. Many waste that amount, yet say that they "can't afford to take the Avalanche."

Elmer Ostrander has built a new log house. It will have a brick chimney and be insured. Elmer is a thorough believer in alfalfa and has 8 acres of splendid new seedling, in which hundreds of bushels of turnips are growing. Just like finding them!

The beautiful Holstein cattle and the magnificent Norway spruce wind break at "The Evergreens," (Hugo Schreiber, Jr.) are enough to arouse the desire in any man's mind to have the same.

The fresh, green sod on the lawn of the Enoch Turner farm in South Branch, ought to forever quiet any man's talk that he can't make a lawn. Where the Turner lawn is located is an adulterated sand.

John McGillis is daily using a DeLaval milking machine and improving his herd. He sees that in careful dairying lies the steady, dependable income. He gets a quarter of a car of lime this fall.

John Floeter has a fine two-car garage and Delco lighting system to go with his pretty, modern bungalow, on which he will be building the stone fireplace as soon as potatoes are hauled.

Eight acres of alfalfa on this farm, too. Mr. Floeter will take half a car of lime early in November.

Wm. Floeter (Willow Valley farm) has 35 thousand feet of lumber on hand for a strictly modern dairy barn. He will take a quarter car of lime this fall.

Charles Scott recently had the milk from his herd tested by the county agent.

F. J. Harris has built a barn with cement basement.

Several of our rural schoolhouses have been repainted outside, and replastered or papered and painted inside.

Chase's bridge is being rebuilt.

The schoolhouse on the corner of the E. P. Richardson farm, in South Branch, has been moved towards Chase's bridge, and will be fixed up.

All new, single seats in the Love school.

Yard beautifully sodded at the Frederic school.

Joseph Sullivan (on the McIntyre

Sheriff Bobenmoyer Saves Taxpayers \$1,373.14 Over All Costs.

Statements have been made during the County Political campaign relative to the expense incurred by the present incumbent of the Office of Sheriff, it being claimed that his administration of that office was so much higher than that of his predecessor. Nothing is said however of the results obtained, nor of fines collected from offenders. That the people may not be misled by these statements a search of the records for the period of Mr. Bobenmoyer's administration as well as that of Mr. Jorgenson has been made which discloses the following figures:

Sheriff fees and b'd of prisoners	Deputy fees	Total	Fines	Excess over cost
1923-1924.....	\$ 917.64	\$339.82	\$1267.46	\$1452.06
1925-1926.....	\$1418.78	\$274.34	\$1693.12	\$3260.85
				\$1567.73

By these figures it is shown that while the cost of operating the law enforcement department of this county was \$435.66 greater for the years 1925-1926 the activity of that department produced in fines and costs \$1373.14 more in excess over cost than was produced during the two previous years, therefore the net gain to the tax payers during the time Mr. Bobenmoyer has been in office against the time Mr. Jorgenson was in office is a saving to the tax payers of \$1373.14 over and above all expenses of the office of Sheriff of Crawford County.

☒ Vote for Bobenmoyer for Sheriff

place, north of town) has fall-plowed nearly 16 acres, and will apply a whole car of lime this fall, commercial fertilizer next spring, then seed to alfalfa.

Work on the state demonstration farm at Grayling is closed for the season. A large number of brilliant demonstrations have been worked out there this year, that would be of great value to our farmers if they would only notice what we do. We have plainly proved the great value of green manure and fertilizers to our soil.

We have fall-plowed four acres of good alfalfa for next year's corn or potatoes. We do not prophesy that it is going to hurt the corn any.

We have enumerated a number of improvements. We are thankful for these. We believe that improvements could have been made by some who have not made them.

Low aim is the thing to be ashamed of. Every farmer has a share in making the good name or the bad name of his township and neighborhood.

There are many improvements that can yet be made this fall and winter by even those who may be "hard up." Manure piles can be hauled and spread. Fall plowing done. Boards, sticks, stones picked up. Garden plowed to help kill insects. Barn and hen house repaired. Gutter put behind cows and horses. Tools put carefully away. Ice house built. Woodshed built and filled with dry wood. Strawberries mulched. Raspberries pruned and discarded canes burned. Pumps fixed so they work good. Heater put in stock tank. Cupboards and other conveniences built in house on stormy days. Cellar fixed so it will not freeze. Pump fixed to fill a new pork barrel in house, and water overflow to stock tank. Determination to "show em," that you have gumption.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payments of a certain mortgage executed by Joseph A. Denno and Elenor Denno, to Laura Ette Wagner, dated September 15th, 1923 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Crawford County, Michigan, on November 26, 1923 in Liber H of mortgages on page 364. On which mortgage there is now due for principal, interest and taxes the sum of \$2,204.14 and attorney fees, and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt now due on said mortgage or any part thereof.

Therefore the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the premises hereinafter described by reason of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, which sale will be at public auction at the front door of the court house in the village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan (that being the place where the circuit court for said county is held) on the 29th day of December, 1926, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, which premises described in said mortgage are as follows: The north half of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section ten, town twenty-five north, range four west, Beaver Creek township, Crawford County, Michigan.

Dated September 29, 1926.

LAURA ETTE WAGNER, Mortgagee.

MERLE F. NELLIST, Attorney for Mortgagee, Grayling, Mich. 9-30-13

MORTGAGE SALE

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Dated September 22nd, 1926.

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I am sure that I can be of special service to the people of Crawford county if I am elected County Clerk next Tuesday.

I hope I may be given the privilege. Some have assured me that my ship is approaching the home harbor, and I earnestly hope it is going to land.

Your votes alone can open the gates, and it is for you to decide. I have never been accused of being conceited, but I do not hesitate to promise the people that if elected, the duties of the County Clerk's office will be accurately and competently administered. I am proud of the fact that my neighbors, my personal friends and those with whom I have had dealings are my staunchest supporters.

I hope I shall be elected.

Charles Gierke.

For County Clerk

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Election Nov. 2nd, 1926.

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In my solicitation of your confidence in my ability and fitness for the office of sheriff I trust that as a citizen of our county for the past 40 years and my interest therein as a taxpayer for the last 38 years, in a manner is an inducement to the electors for your support at the November election.

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THE STORY

CHAPTER I—With her baby sister, Patricia, Lydia returns from play to the untidy home of her impoverished father, Amos Dudley, Revere City. Her father's friend, and her own devoted admirer, Billy Norton, after discussing affairs with Lydia, turns up his mind to go into politics.

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CHAPTER III—Lydia explains the accident and asserts that because Margery is considered "stuck up" she is not a popular playmate. Margery's friends for Lydia to teach Margery to swim and otherwise become "one of the crowd." Lydia tells Amos she plans to take timber from the Indian reservation and ultimately have it opened for settlement. From an older boy, Billy Norton, Lydia gets a pair of wild ducks, and despite their poverty the Dudleys have a Christmas feast.

CHAPTER IV—Patience succumbs to an attack of diphtheria, leaving Lydia feeling that her trust in God is lost and her small world has collapsed. She finds comfort in the loving kindness of John Levine. Lydia learns the name of Amos, backed by Levine and a note by Amos, is due and cannot be met. The child, Amos, is born. Lydia and for her sake he agrees to renew the note.

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CHAPTER VII—Lydia is shot by an unseen assassin. Recovering at the Dudley cottage, she learns the real extent of Lydia's loneliness and her shaken faith in God. Levine and Charlie enter into a compact to start a "search for God" together. Levine, recovered, begins his campaign for congress.

CHAPTER VIII

The Note

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The results of Lydia's summer dress-making had not been bad. She had made herself several creditable shirtwaists and a neat little blue serge skirt. She came back to school with zeal and less than her usual sense of shabbiness.

It was a day toward the first of October at the noon hour that Lydia met Kent and Charlie Jackson.

"Hello, Lydia! How's everything?" asked Kent. "I haven't seen you to talk to since last spring."

"Did you have a fine summer?" said Lydia.

"Aw, only part of it. Dad made me work till the middle of August, then Charlie and I camped up on the reservation."

"There comes Margery," said Lydia. "She hardly speaks to me now, she's been to New York."

"She is a peach," exclaimed Charlie, eyeing Margery in her natty blue suit approvingly.

"How do you, Kent?" Margery approached languidly, including Lydia and Charlie in her nod. "I hope you all had a pleasant summer. Mother and I were in New York."

Kent, Lydia and Charlie exchanged glances.

"I had a pretty good summer," said Lydia. "I sewed and cooked and scrubbed and swam, and once Adam, dad, Mr. Levine and I walked clear round the lake, eighteen miles."

"I don't see how your father can let that Mr. Levine come to your house!" exclaimed Margery with sudden energy.

"My father says he's a dangerous man."

"He's a crook!" said Charlie stolidly and finally.

Lydia stamped her foot. "He's not, and he's my friend!" she cried.

"Lydia's a crook!" repeated Charlie, slowly. "If what he's trying to do goes through, my tribe'll be wanderers on the face of the earth. If I thought it would do any good, I'd kill him. But some other brute of a white would take his place. It's hopeless."

The three young whites looked at the Indian wonderingly. Their little spitting was nothing, they realized, to the mature and tragic bitterness that Charlie expressed. A vague sense of a catastrophe, epic in character, that the Indian evidently saw clearly, but was beyond their comprehension, silenced them. The awkward pause was broken by the school bell.

Lydia had plenty to think of on her long walk home. Charlie's voice and words haunted her. What did it all mean? Why was he so resentful and so hopeless? She made up her mind that when she had the opportunity to ask him, she would.

The opportunity came about simply enough. At recess one day a week or so later he asked her if she was going to the first senior "hop" of the year.

Lydia gave him a clear look. "Why do you ask me that? Just to embarrass me?" she said.

Charlie looked startled. "Lord

knows I didn't mean anything," he exclaimed. "What're you so touchy about?"

Lydia's cheeks burned redder than usual. "I went to a party at Miss Towne's when I was a freshman and I promised myself I'd never go to another."

"Why not?" Charlie's astonishment was genuine.

"Clothes," replied Lydia, briefly. "The Indian boy leaned against a desk and looked Lydia over through half-closed eyes. 'You're an awful pretty girl, Lydia. Honest you are, and you've got more brain in a minute than any other girl in school! I have all her life.'"

Lydia blushed furiously. Then moved by Charlie's simplicity and obviously sincere liking, she came closer to him and said, "Then, Charlie, why hasn't any boy ever asked me to a party? Is it just clothes?"

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"No! No! I couldn't go," she protested. "Answer my question—is it clothes?"

"No, only half clothes," answered Charlie, meeting her honestly. "The other half is you know too much. You know, the fellows like a girl that giggles a lot and don't know as much as he does and that's a peachy dancer and that'll let him hold her hand and kiss her. And that's the honest to God truth, Lydia."

"Oh," she said. "Oh— Then, 'Well, I could giggle, all right. I can't dance very well because I've just picked up the steps from watching the girls teach each other in the cloak-room. Oh, well, I don't care! I've got Adam and I've got Mr. Levine. Why do you hate him so, Charlie?"

"Lots of reasons. And I'll hate him more if he gets his bill through congress."

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"No, you don't understand," replied Charlie, "you're like most of the other whites around here. You see a chance to get land and you'd crucify each other if you needed to, to get it. What chance do Indians stand? But I tell you this, his voice sank to a hoarse whisper and his eyes looked far beyond her."

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"Nothing," she insisted. Then, anxious to change the subject, she asked, "What're you studying to be, Billy?"

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LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1926.

Get your Lyceum ticket Saturday.

Mrs. Dell Wait returned Tuesday from a several weeks visit in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown returned Monday from a visit in Detroit.

Misses Idessa King and Mildred Ostrander motored to Gaylord last Thursday.

Two cans of tomatoes, corn or peas for 25 cents at Petersen's grocery. Good brand.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Thompson and two children of Kawkawin were Grayling visitors Saturday.

A booster tag will indicate that you have bought your Lyceum ticket. Let everybody wear one Saturday.

Misses Eva and Mildred Ostrander as their guest over Sunday. Mr. Lawrence Taylor of Rochester.

The Luzerne Ladies Aid were entertained at the home of Mrs. Mattie Funch Thursday, Oct. 21 at her home in Eldorado.

Don't miss the Halloween dancing party to be given at the High School gymnasium, Saturday evening, Oct. 30, by the Junior class.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ziebell and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hanselman were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Yull of Vanderbilt.

There will be a regular meeting of Grayling Chapter O. E. S. No. 83 on Wednesday evening, Nov. 3rd. Initiation and refreshments.

David Emigh of Pontiac spent a week in Grayling visiting his nephew, Charles Austin and family. He left Saturday for Roscommon to visit his son, Clayton Emigh.

Miss Ingeborg Hanson is enjoying a couple of weeks vacation from her duties at the Cassidy bakery. She will divide her time visiting in Flint, Monroe, Detroit, Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti.

Next Tuesday—November 2nd, is general election day. Everyone who is registered should exercise their right of franchise and vote on that day. The polls will be open at 7:00 o'clock a. m. and close at 5 o'clock p. m.

Mrs. Chris Hoelsi entertained ten ladies at her home Saturday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary. A pleasant evening was spent by all and a delicious lunch enjoyed. The guest, left a pretty gift in remembrance of the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crane of Eldorado celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on October 12th. They were entertained on that occasion by Mrs. Mattie Funch with a dinner. It was a delightful affair and much appreciated by the guests of honor.

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What a splendid treat, and what a wholesome food Roasted Poultry makes for both children and grown folks. We are ready to serve you with the choicest Fowls of the season, dressed ready for cooking.

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R. H. Gillett is driving a new Buick coach.

Mrs. J. K. Hanson and Mrs. Marius Hanson were in Saginaw the first of the week.

Miss Fern Armstrong entertained Miss Marjorie Woods of Bay City over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Schumann visited friends and relatives in Detroit over the week end.

Mrs. Simon Sivrais was in Bay City the last of the week visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Graham.

Miss Ann Fisher of Cheboygan was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Trudeau over Sunday.

About an inch of snow fell Monday evening, the first to cover the ground this season. It was gone by morning.

The American Legion Post is giving feather parties every Wednesday and Saturday nights. The public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Sivrais of Cheboygan spent Sunday visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Sivrais.

Miss Margrethe Hemmingsen is spending the week in Detroit visiting her brother, Walter Hemmingsen and family.

School was closed Monday and Tuesday when the teachers attended the State Teachers' Institute held at Flint on those days.

A black silk umbrella has been left in the Post Office. Owner may have same by calling at the Post Office and paying for this ad.

Mrs. Harold Millard, daughter Marjorie June and son Dean of Flint are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Sivrais.

Dr. J. P. Butler of Rose City brought one of his patients to Mercy hospital Monday, visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. J. McCann while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilber have returned from Bay City where they were called owing to the illness of their granddaughter, Mary Jane Wendt.

Halloween dance Saturday night at the school gymnasium. \$1.00 per couple, extra lady 25c. You will be cordially welcomed. Given by the Junior class.

Mrs. Einer Rasmussen and three daughters of Clawson, Michigan are spending a couple of weeks in Grayling visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gierke.

Ralph Hanna is attending the State Road Commissioners' convention in Detroit this week. Mr. Hanna will also visit relatives in Battle Creek before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Crandall and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Goodrick of Flint spent the week end in Grayling visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David White.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Michigan Memorial church will hold a fancy work and apron sale the second week in December. A light lunch will be served.

Miss Doris Winchell, the new public health nurse for Crawford county arrived from Detroit Monday morning and has already taken up her duties beginning in the local schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bolongue and son Benedict and Mrs. Ed. LaBouche of Cheboygan were guests of Mrs. Lela Kidston Sunday. Mrs. Bolongue remained to spend a week with Mrs. Kidston.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Mahoney and family of Bay City and Miss Hetty Balhoff of Saginaw were in Grayling over Sunday visiting the ladies' mother, Mrs. Rose Balhoff at Mercy hospital.

Mrs. S. D. Dunham returned Wednesday from Detroit where she attended the funeral of her father, O. B. Gibson. Mr. Gibson has several friends in Grayling who will be sorry to hear of his demise.

Edward D. Bailey and wife of Mt. Pleasant, Harriet Bailey and wife and two children of Gaylord, Mrs. Don Bailey and three children of Gaylord, Rupert Porter and wife (Thora Bailey) surprised Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bailey Sunday, coming to celebrate the latter's wedding anniversary with a talk-fest and big dinner. Edward Bailey brought up a set of the Harriet Bailey classic (five volumes) of books, 50 volumes) to help his father carry out his desire to review the world's classic literature. All returned to their homes Sunday evening.

The pre-natal and baby clinic will be held in Grayling, Nov. 2nd and 3rd, in the M. E. church basement. All children under school age are eligible for this free examination and we hope to have a large number. Also all expectant mothers will receive the best of attention. Those wishing to register can get registration cards and any information wished, from Mrs. John Speck, Mrs. L. J. Kraus or Mrs. Sigwald Hanson. This clinic which is being sponsored by the Woman's club will also be held one day at Frederic and one day at South Branch.

Your money back with a smile if not entirely satisfied.

Central Drug Store.

To honor Mr. Archie McNeven, who was celebrating his 93rd birthday anniversary last Thursday, his sons, William, James and Peter and his wives gave a dinner party that evening at the Peter McNeven home. The guests included his children, grandchildren and great grandchildren and about fifteen old residents, whom he has known for more than forty years. A delicious dinner was served the thirty-some guests after which the evening was spent in happy recollections of bygone days. Several of the guests brought their musical instruments and many of the old-time airs were rendered, which carried the thoughts of the guests back to the good old days. Mr. McNeven has been a highly esteemed resident of Grayling for 42 years. He has a keen memory, a very contented disposition and is very appreciative in spite of the fact that he has almost lost his eyesight and hearing. The old gentleman has been at the home of his son, Peter for the past six months, but will leave in a couple of weeks to spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Frank Smith of Flint. His many friends wish him many happy returns of his birthday.

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Mr. Bruce Rutledge, of Roscommon is a patient at Mercy hospital.

Mrs. Boyd J. Farnach of Eldorado entered Mercy hospital Tuesday, for medical treatment.

Buy a one-pound can of Calumet baking powder and get a nice size cake pan free at Petersen's grocery.

Four big entertainments for a dollar. That is what is offered to you Saturday in the Lyceum ticket sale. Get your ticket and be a booster for better entertainments.

Emory Cripps of Detroit, son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Cripps, formerly of Grayling, is spending a week in Grayling, is spending a week here visiting friends and relatives.

The American Legion Post of Mio is giving a masquerade dancing party at the O. E. S. hall in Mio, Friday night, October 29th. Music will be furnished by Clark's orchestra. Everyone invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cook of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Gunnell of Flint were in Grayling the first of the week, coming to hunt ducks. They were guests while here of Mr. Cook's sister, Mrs. William Green.

Mrs. Otto Nelson, who has been ill for several days, was removed from her home to Mercy hospital Monday. Her mother, Mrs. G. Anderson of Mio arrived the first of the week to care for the home and children.

Mrs. Esbern Hanson, Mrs. Oscar Hanson and daughters, Ella and Margrethe left Friday to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mickelson at Mason, driving to Ann Arbor Saturday to see the Michigan-Illinois game.

Don't miss the Halloween party at the school gymnasium Saturday night, given by the Junior class. Music will be furnished by Schram's orchestra. \$1 per couple, 25c extra lady. You will be assured of a good time.

Mrs. J. H. Wingard, who has been spending several weeks here visiting among her sisters and brothers, left for Flint Wednesday morning, her daughter, Mrs. Tony Trudeau and husband driving up to accompany her home.

Black cats, witches and pumpkins will greet those who attend the Junior Halloween party Saturday night, Oct. 30. The Halloween spirit will prevail that night, and it's going to be a big time for everyone there. The public is invited.

Harry Schanck, age nine years, of near Luzerne is at Mercy hospital as the result of being accidentally shot by a playmate Sunday noon while playing. The boy's arm above the elbow was terribly shattered by the shot and though physicians may save the arm it probably will never be of any use.

The following not otherwise mentioned in this issue are among those who attended the Michigan-Illinois football game at Ann Arbor last Saturday: Dr. and Mrs. C. J. McCann, Supt. and Mrs. B. E. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph, Mrs. Esbern Olson, Misses Marion Salling, Eleanor Schumann, Julia Superna, Laura Swink, Messrs. J. Fred Alexander and C. W. Olsen.

Our neighboring county of Roscommon received word last week from Grand Rapids that they had won the \$1,000 prize in the good citizenship contest conducted by the American Citizenship committee in connection with the September primary. All counties in the lower peninsula were entitled to compete until Wayne county was selected to determine which county would poll the largest vote in the gubernatorial primary as compared with the vote of 1924. Gladwin county won second prize of \$500. Whitman's hot chocolate served at Central Drug Store.

From an Old Scrap Book

An old monk many years ago left the following maxims to those who would pass through life comfortably: "Never speak ill of any person whatever."

Here is a splendid bit of advice that will save trouble for you in 1926, as it did in the days of the old monk. "Perform every office according to strict justice and the wants of your fellow creatures."

That is Roosevelt's idea of the square deal and if followed faithfully will surely bring respect and peace.

"Suffer the mad world to go its own way; for it wills to go its own way."

In the language of the flapper, the old monk said a mouthful. Don't fret about the youth of today, they will come out all right or pay the penalty and you are powerless to change them.

"The present mode of life is much too artificial, has too many fictitious passions—too much ambition, pride and emulation, which keep men in a constant state of excitement, producing quarrels, despotism, immorality and crime."

The dear old monk in his cell was absolutely right and yet the same shams prevail today.

"Follow reason and common sense. Rest when you are weary; eat when you are hungry; drink when you are thirsty; Pursue what is most congenial to your inclinations and ability, always subordinate to reason and the laws and usages of good society."

There it is; the few rules of the simple life that will surely lead to health and peace of mind.

"A good cause makes a stout heart and strong arm."

That was Davy Crockett's motto: "Be sure you're right, then go ahead."

"A man, like a watch, is only to be valued for his uniformity and regular going."

By which the old monk meant, be prompt, be dependable, keep your promises and they will say of you, "His word is as good as his bond."

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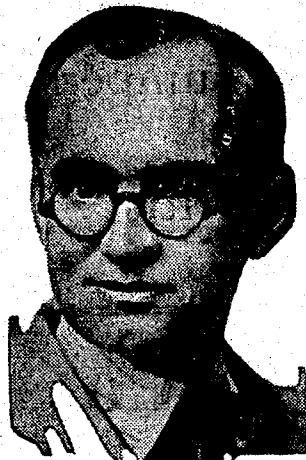
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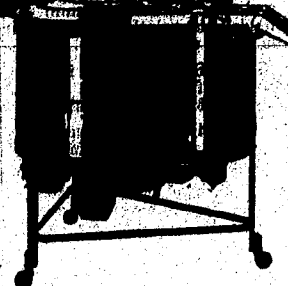
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LOVELLS NEWS

Edgar Caid and Jake Stillwagon were callers at West Branch last week.

There was no school Monday or Tuesday as our teacher, Miss Vila Vance attended teachers' institute.

Mrs. Clarence Stillwagon accompanied her mother, Mrs. Husted to her home in West Branch. Mrs. Husted has been visiting her daughter for awhile.

Miss Margaret Douglas has returned from Ohio.

Mrs. George Stuart has returned from her visit at Roscommon.

Dr. Tupper of Redford is staying at Dam Four.

Edgar Douglas is home for a few days.

FALL RADIO SCHOOL OPENS AT M. S. C.

East Lansing, Oct. 25.—Twenty departments at M. S. C. have joined this year in presenting programs for the fall term radio school from Station WKAR, which opened Monday, Oct. 25. The educational programs are given each evening except Saturday and Sunday, from 7:15 to 8:00 o'clock and the school is scheduled to continue for eight weeks ending Dec. 17.

A wide variety of subject matter is offered in the educational programs containing material of interest for everyone, and plans have been made to make the winter term school still more complete. This is the third year of educational work conducted by the college station.

In addition to the radio school, there will be special educational programs furnished by the various departments of state, on Friday evenings from 8 to 9 o'clock, student

musical programs on Wednesday evenings from 8 to 9 o'clock, and special features from time to time as the occasion arises.

The fall term schedule for the radio school is as follows: Mondays—Home Economics, English, Agricultural Engineering and Horticulture; Tuesdays—Engineering, Forestry, Zoology, Farm Crops; Wednesdays—Economics, Botany, Soils and Dairy; Thursdays—Education, Sociology, Animal Husbandry, and Farm Crops; Fridays—History and Political Science, Poultry and Dairy.

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MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payments of a certain mortgage executed by Walmer Jorgenson, a single man, to Andrew Hart, Administrator of the estate of George Mahon, dated September 20, 1922, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Crawford County, Michigan, September 20, 1922 in liber I of mortgages on page 409. On which mortgage there is now due for principal, interest and taxes the sum of \$449.10 and attorney fees, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law nor in equity to recover the debt now due on said mortgage or any part thereof. Therefore, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises hereinafter described by reason of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, which sale will be at public auction at the front door of the court house in the village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit Court for said county is held) on the 22nd day of January, 1927, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, which premises described in said mortgage are as follows: Lot Four of Block Sixteen, of Roffee's addition to the village of Grayling, in the village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan.

Dated October 26, 1926.
ANDREW HART,
Administrator of the estate of George Mahon, deceased.
MERLE F. NELLIST,
Attorney for Mortgagee. 10-28-13



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STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, in Chancery.
Marie Hinkley, plaintiff vs. Allen Hinkley, defendant.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, in Chancery, on October 8th, 1926.

It satisfactorily appearing to this Court by affidavit on file that the whereabouts of the defendant, Allen Hinkley, is unknown. On motion of Merle F. Nellist, attorney for plaintiff, it is ordered that the said defendant, Allen Hinkley, cause his appearance to be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order, and in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to the plaintiff's bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof to be served upon the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after service on him of a copy of said bill, and notice of this order, and that in default thereof that said bill be taken as confessed by said defendant.

And it is further ordered that within twenty days after the date hereof, the said plaintiff cause this order to be published in the Crawford Avancee, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said County of Crawford, and that such publication be continued once in each week for six successive weeks, or that she cause a copy of this order to be served personally on said defendant at least twenty days before the time above described for his appearance.

Dated October 8th, 1926.
GUY E. SMITH,
Circuit Judge.

MERLE F. NELLIST,
Attorney for plaintiff.
Business Address,
Grayling, Michigan. 10-28-6

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